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Master Library Plan Draws Area Criticism

Repercussions over a master plan for expanding Prince George's County Library service, discussed at a public meeting in Suitland two weeks ago, have erupted during the past few days, according to Miss Elizabeth Hage, director of the county memorial library.

Residents of two communities, College Park and Suitland, have shown great concern about the possible effect of the plan on their branch libraries, Miss Hage said. In addition about 20 letters have been received by the Park and Planning Commission, originator of the plan.

At a special meeting, November 2, held by residents of the Suitland area, everyone present was emphatic about wanting the Suitland branch to remain open.

Under the master plan the Suitland and District Heights branch, now located about two miles apart, are slated for eventual consolidation, Miss Hage explained. She added that it was the intent of the planning commission to have branch libraries serve an area of about five miles whenever possible. She said no final decision had been reached on the actual selection of sites for the various proposed new and consolidated branches and regional libraries, nor could any decision be made until such time as the plan is implemented by the county commissioners, after final adoption by the planning body.

"The entire objective of the plan is to improve library service to county residents through better facilities and services," Miss Hage stated. "There never has been any thought of curtailing facilities or cutting off service to anyone. As a matter of fact the plan should result in greatly expanded service to every resident in Prince George's county," she added.

At a regular meeting of the College Park Progress club November 3, Miss Hage was asked to clarify a number of points regarding the possibility of eventual consolidation of the College Park branch library with a regional area library.

"A regional library, should one be built in the College Park-Hyattsville area, would certainly offer area residents much greater space, improved and expanded facilities and services plus a much larger book collection," she noted. "However, as we have pointed out frequently, this is only a possibility far in the future," Miss Hage concluded.

Robert L. Wrigley, Jr., chief of the advance planning section of the Maryland - National Capital Park and Planning Commission, said that as of Friday, deadline for residents filing comments on the plan, he had received about 20 letters from Prince George's county residents.

"The great majority say they think we are doing a good job, that we need the library program," said Wrigley. "However a number have particular points they wish emphasized. For instance Laurel residents point out that their branch library cannot be expanded at its present site and that it should be relocated. I feel they are probably correct," he said.

Next step is for the planning commission to review the master plan and formally adopt it, Wrigley said.

New Phone Directory

The Greenbelt Lions Club announced last week that the Greenbelt Telephone Directory will be ready for public use right after April 1, 1960, when the new numbers will be in effect.

BOYS CLUB CANDY SALE

The Greenbelt Boys Club announces a door-to-door candy sale to raise funds for athletic uniforms. The drive will begin Saturday and continue for the next two weekends. Chocolate almond candy will be sold in 1-lb. tins.

Panel Talk On Friday For Churchmen's Club

The Churchmen's Club of Greenbelt Community Church will meet on Friday, November 13, at 8 p.m. in the Fellowship Center. A panel discussion on the subject: "How Well are Newspapers and TV Meeting their Responsibilities to the Community?" will be led by Harry Zubkoff, Editor of the News Review and Glenn D. Everett, reporter for Religious News Service. Singing, a flute solo and refreshments are also scheduled. All men are cordially invited.

Donations are requested of used books, magazines, records and games for sale by the Churchmen's Club at its Book Table at the Bazaar on Saturday, November 21. Call George Townsend (4858) or Ken Powell (5628) for pick-up.

Council Offers To Mediate Dispute

Mayor Alan Kistler, with the approval of the city council at its regular meeting on Monday night, directed the city manager to write again to the owner of the Greenbelt Theater to notify him that the council is still willing to use its good offices to settle the labor dispute between the movie house and the Motion Picture Projectors Local.

Kistler reminded the council that a similar letter had been sent to the theater owner, Mr. Walton, last April but that no reply had ever been received. The union has indicated that it is willing to cooperate either with the council or a special committee of citizens willing to mediate the matter. The theater has been picketed by the union for more than a year over a wage dispute.

The mayor said that a third party is needed to get both parties "off dead center." He said the labor problem should have been solved long ago and that the two parties are actually quite close to coming to terms. He asked that the theater owner reply if possible before November 16.

Adults Now Eligible For Community Band

For the first time in its 19-year history the Greenbelt Community Band is extending membership to adults. In a move to make it "truly a community band" the board of directors of the band has announced the elimination of age qualifications.

Previously the band has limited participation in the band to the youth of Greenbelt. The board, however, felt that many former members of the band who are now adults in the community would appreciate the chance to join in the weekly music session. The new policy will also make it possible to use other adults in the city who have musical experience.

A special "feeder" band of youngsters will be organized to supply talent to the main band. Membership in the full band will be judged solely upon ability to qualify musically.

An organizational meeting of the new band will be held on November 23 at 7 p.m. in the Center School auditorium. All musicians of any age are invited to attend.

WHAT GOES ON

Friday, November 13 — 8 p.m. Churchmen's Club hears newsmen, Community Church 3:40-5 p.m. and 7-10 p.m. PTA Book Fair, North End School
Saturday, November 14 — 9 p.m. JCC Annual Dance, Ridge and Westway
Monday, November 16 — 8 p.m. Council meets, city offices
Tuesday, November 17 — 7 to 9 p.m. Polio Clinic, Center School
Wednesday, November 18 — 8:15 p.m. "Helen Keller" movie, JCC, Ridge & Westway

Billy Jurgas Guest at Babe Ruth League Fete

On Wednesday, December 9, the Greenbelt Babe Ruth League will hold its first Awards nights at the Greenbelt American Legion Post 136 at 7 p.m. The dinner is being co-sponsored by the American Legion Post 136.

Special guest will be Billy Jurgas, Manager of the Boston Red Sox. Also on the program will be a special movie in color of the 1959 All-Star baseball games. A special souvenir will be given to everyone attending the dinner. The souvenir is a miniature Louisville Slugger Bat engraved for the occasion, celebrating five years of Babe Ruth Baseball in Greenbelt. Tickets may be obtained at the Recreation Department, 2011. Players can contact their team captain for tickets. Make it a family affair.

PTA BOOK FAIR

The PTA Book Fair will be open to the public on Friday, November 13, from 3:30 to 5 p.m. and from 7 to 10 p.m., in the North End School auditorium. Your support will be appreciated. A 10% discount is given on all books purchased.

Recreation Review

by Warren Leddick

Golden Age Club: The Golden Age Club will hold its first fall meeting on Wednesday, November 25 at 1:30 p.m. at the Greenbelt Athletic Club, opposite St. Hugh's Church. All citizens 60 or over, or retired persons, are welcome to attend. Transportation will be provided for those members who call the Recreation Department on Tuesday, November 24. Please leave your name and address.

Men's Gym Night: Men's Gym night will start on Thursday, December 3. The gym session will run from 8 p.m. to 10 p.m. sharp. Activities will include volleyball, badminton, basketball, and exercises.

Recreation Basketball League: The Recreation Basketball league will hold an organizational meeting on Wednesday, November 18 at 7 p.m. in the gym at Center School. All boys wishing to play in this year's league should be present to go over the rules and select teams. Any boy playing Junior varsity or varsity basketball in high school is not eligible. This will be an important night so don't miss it.

Roller Skating: The next teenage roller skating party will take place on Friday November 13. The first pick up will be made at North End school at 7 p.m. and at Center School at 7:15 p.m. A fee of 75 cents covers the bus ride and admission to the Roller Rink for members. For non-members the fee is \$1.00. Everyone going roller skating must have a permission note signed by their parents.

Council Places City Building Next To Firehouse, Cuts Youth Center Cost

By Russel Greenbaum

The city council at a special meeting on Monday night finally settled the site of the new city administration building by placing it next to the new firehouse to be built on Crescent Road near St. Hugh's. Action was also begun to cut the cost of the new youth center building, newly estimated by the architects to cost \$153,170.

The council decision on the city building came after it was agreed to delay no further in the hope that a land swap might be made with Greenbelt Consumer Services (Co-op), owner of the shopping center. An exchange with GCS could have placed the city building in the center area.

Previous negotiations had been conducted for a year with Gilbert Realty, which owned the center before GCS bought it last summer. Gilbert had indicated interest in a land swap, but City Manager Charles McDonald reported that GCS had not given any sign of willingness to exchange.

One of the plots of city-owned land in the center is a 90 by 90-foot section consisting of the slope immediately behind the statue. While large enough to accommodate a city building, the council felt it would be crowded against the GCS supermarket and also would add to the parking congestion at the center.

The site between the new firehouse and St. Hugh's is 300 feet wide and allows considerable room for both expansion and parking. The council, feeling that a delay of even a few months more was undesirable, unanimously voted to settle on this site so that the architects can proceed with plans. City employees and all interested civic groups who may wish to use the building were invited to attend the next regular meeting on November 16 to give details of their proposed needs.

Library Site?

Councilman Bruce Bowman relayed a suggestion from George Hammond, president of the county library board, on how a library might be attached to the city building, with the construction of this section paid for by the county commissioners. Hammond pointed out that there was no requirement for the library to be in or close to the city's commercial center.

Hammond noted that if a library building was attached to one end of the city building on land provided by the city, the county commissioners were likely to contribute funds to the construction of the building which would at least cover the cost of the library portion and also heat and maintenance. He felt that the new library should include at least 3000 square feet or about double the size of the present library situated in the Center School. Hammond said that the county board of education was willing to allow the library to remain there for as long as necessary but these facilities were totally inadequate. The council expressed strong interest in pursuing Hammond's suggestion.

Sharp Shop Cut

In seeking to cut the costs of the youth center building, City Manager McDonald suggested that the auto mechanic shop be cut. He estimated that not only could \$7300 be saved but that it was not a desirable feature for the youth center in the first place. He revealed that a previous auto repair club in Greenbelt had not shown sufficient responsibility to conduct the club without close supervision. Several unpleasant incidents occurred which made it doubtful that an auto shop would be successful in the youth center building. It would also create an added traffic problem.

Ed Burgoon of the Youth Advisory Board told the council that the auto shop had not been originally included in the board's plans for the building but had been added at the urging of three council members now no longer serving on the council. He said he was sure that the board would have no objection to dropping it.

The council gave some thought to eliminating the partial air-conditioning of the building now planned, but Burgoon pointed out that it would make the building more attractive to use in the summer time when it would receive full use from youngsters. The council then decided to consider the addition of large exhaust fans to cool the large skating room-auditorium not included in the air conditioning system.

It was also felt that savings and increased flexibility would result from substituting a sliding door for the wall now separating the two main meeting rooms. The goal was to bring the cost down to the originally budgeted estimate of \$143,000. Figures on what the total savings would be will be presented at the meeting on Monday night, and a special meeting was scheduled with the architects the next night (Tuesday) and the Youth Advisory Board to see if the final plans could be set.

Architects Scored

Some council members indicated dissatisfaction with the work of the architects up to date. Mayor Alan Kistler was unhappy about the poor cost estimates and also expressed disappointments at the lack of originality in the design of the youth center, particularly in view of the high reputation and prestige of Satterlee and Smith, noted for their prize-winning designs. However, it was believed unwise to try to change architects at this stage. When Councilman Dave Champion moved to reconsider the city's choice of architects for the city building, he received no second.

Film On Helen Keller To Be Shown Locally

The inspiring story of Helen Keller is the subject of the next film to be shown at the Greenbelt Jewish Community Center, Wednesday, November 18, at 8:15 p.m. in the series, open to the public presented by Prince George's County Memorial Library.

"Helen Keller in Her Story," the film's title, traces the life of this great woman who lost her sight, hearing and speech as the result of an early illness.

Although born a normal child, she became blind, deaf and mute at the age of 19 months and for the next 6 years she lived in silence and darkness, unaware of the world around her. Then her great friend and teacher for the next 50 years, Anne Sullivan, showed her the way to understanding and communication. Learning first to spell words in the palm of her hand, the little girl went on to learn braille and lip reading and to become one of the great citizens of the world. She has become a living inspiration to millions of handicapped throughout the world.

"We believe this film will provide a wonderful evening for Greenbelt area residents," said Miss Madeline Evers, adult education specialist of Prince George's County Memorial Library.

A special collection of books on the handicapped will be on display and may be taken out by the public.

Mrs. Matthew Phillips, coordinator of extension services, will discuss some biographies of handicapped people, books on braille, lip reading and job opportunities for those physically disabled.

The public is invited to these programs and admission is free. All the films may be borrowed from the Library for use in group programs.

For more information, call WA 7-4916.

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Those Living Behind Locked Doors

When the ladies from Greenbelt arrived at St. Elizabeth's for their October visit, they found a really festive Hallowe'en air in the recreation room of Ward CT-6. The room had been decorated by the patients with funny faces, pictures, straw and paper pumpkins. I can remember last year's visit when we were met by many of the women wearing masks. This year the theme was more adult. There were no masks on the faces this time. But the decorations showed much thought and planning.

I'm very sorry to say that I didn't have a chance to go along in the October trip. But Mrs. Bernice Mixon, who is in charge of the monthly visits, has kindly given me the information for this month's column.

The women were greeted at the door of Ward CT-6 by a new patient. She seemed so normal that it was hard to think of her as a patient. She was new to this ward but said she was leaving the hospital soon. She taught dancing to the other patients while she was a patient herself.

I asked about Mrs. F., who had decided to take no part in our September party. She was there this time, wearing the stocking cap which she had not been wearing in the past. When the women asked her to remove it since she looked much nicer, she did and seemed apologetic for having put it on. She did not play bingo this time. In the past, she had enjoyed the games and the prizes. But she obviously enjoyed the refreshments.

For refreshments, the ladies brought cider, ginger bread with whipped cream topping and candy.

For the month of November, with Thanksgiving so near, the women would like to serve pumpkin pie to the women in the hospital. It seems that the same people in our church are always supplying the things we need. There are many women in Greenbelt who have expressed interest in and appreciation for the work that's being done. Well, we are looking for help this time—ladies to come with us, to be sure, but, specifically, donations of pumpkin pies or the cash equivalent to buy some. Please call Mrs. Mixon at 6059 if you can help.

Myrna Chasanow Wins Honor; FHA Presidency

by Eilene Ryss

Saturday, November 7, 1959, the Region C meeting of the Future Homemakers of America was held. This day will not be forgotten quickly by the Chasanow family. Myrna, ninth grader at the Greenbelt Junior High School, was elected President of Region R, FHA. Montgomery and Prince Georges County schools make up the Region.

The meeting was held at Eastern Junior High School and its primary purpose was to elect the officers for the forthcoming year. Myrna Chasanow's campaign speech, coupled with a winning personality, captured the presidency for her. Her speech contained her qualifications and facts about her community activities, FHA activities and school activities. Each regular Chapter had two votes and each honorary Chapter had four votes. The first vote ended in a tie. After lunch, a second vote gave Myrna the majority and won the election.

After the honor was bestowed on her, Myrna was asked how she felt. "It is an honor of which I am very proud. I will do my very best to serve the Future Homemakers of America in every way I possibly can. I wish that every other girl could experience this great honor."

When asked how she thinks it will affect the school, she said, "I think it will further interest in home economics for many more girls. I think I have set an example that will prove to each girl that helping FHA and working toward the good of the club is not in vain. It helps to show me how important it is that we get along with friends and neighbors."

Mrs. Puffenburger, Sponsor of the FHA at Greenbelt Junior High, feels that, "It is an encouragement for other girls to be future homemakers of America is to encourage further work in home economics. It gives her an opportunity to help the girls in her Chapter, Region and State. It also gives her experience and opportunity with executive groups and encourages leadership."

The purpose of the Future Homemakers of America is to encourage further work in home economics and to urge leadership in home and community life.

As Mr. Furgang, Principal of Greenbelt Junior High, said, "We are very proud that Myrna received this honor."

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Ranger Hal at Bazaar



St. Joseph's Church, Beltsville, is having its annual Bazaar and Bean Pot Supper on November 15 at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 9300 Baltimore Boulevard, from 3 to 9 p.m.

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As a special attraction Ranger Hal will be there to entertain both big and little children.

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My autumn thoughts are very dear, For everything is lovely at this time of year.

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High Point High Points

by Marion Ryss

One hundred and seventy-six steps a minute mark the cadence of the High Point High School Band as they high step their way to the Gimbel's Thanksgiving Day Parade in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. After receiving an invitation and being given the okay by the Prince Georges County Board of Education, the Band is ready and rearing to go. Did I say ready? . . . Well, almost, with rehearsals on every Tuesday until the big day—November 26. The Band will be prepared to wow the TV audience watching the parade right off their feet. Two highly decorated buses will transport these march happy Band members to their destination at approximately 3:30 in the morning, to get them there in time for this annual parade.

Mr. Donald K. Smith, Band director, has stated that "I am very pleased with the high honor of being chosen to appear at this nationally televised event. I only hope that the Band will show that they deserve this privilege."

Led by Larry Klipp, Band Major, Majorette Captain Susan Boggs, and colorguards, the Band will march 56 deep down the streets of Philadelphia on a seven mile parade route. It is hoped that the students of High Point will support the Band in this endeavor.

Band members have started selling chocolate candy bars to help earn money for this trip. Help the Band and buy a few . . . and they taste good too. For 4 bits you can enjoy a chocolate delight with crunchy toasted almonds fit for a King. So start saving your pennies.

Seniors will have their pictures taken from November 9 through 16. It will be done alphabetically with approximately one-hundred pictures taken a day. Students will be notified one day ahead of time. Girls must wear a black sweater and a single strand of pearls. Boys must wear a dark suit, white shirt, and dark tie. A sitting fee of \$2.00 will be charged and must be paid when the picture is taken.

New Minister Heard At Methodist Church

Members and friends were on hand Sunday morning, November 8, to hear the first sermon of Reverend Charles H. Gill, Jr., new minister for the Mowatt Memorial Methodist Church.

Rev. Gill, ordained in 1959, attended Ohio Wesleyan University and the Divinity school of Kenyon Seminary in Ohio. He is a native Ohioan while his wife, Ann, comes from the Orient, born of American parents in the mission field. They have been married for a year and a half.

Rev. Gill, formerly of the Northeast Ohio Conference, will be serving full time as minister for the Methodist Church. He and his wife will be moving to the Parsonage, 42L Ridge, on Saturday, November 14.

WHEN THE SIREN BLOWS

By Rita Fisher

Four of the men who are taking instructions at Andrews Air Force Base for Emergency Room Attendants are now putting their training to work. Two men have already been putting time in at Andrews Hospital and two men have been assisting doctors in the Emergency Room at Casualty. Among the tasks the men are helping with is the job of preparing wounds and injuries for the expert hands of the doctors. Only another item for this paper to let the people of Greenbelt know that the Rescue Squad is always ready and willing to learn better ways to help those in distress.

The Fire call went out on October 29 at 4:23 p.m., and the equipment was sent to an old farm house on Edmonston Road. Soot, which had collected at the bottom of a flue, had caught fire. The men doused the fire with water from their booster line (water supply carried on the truck). On Sunday evening, a little after 11 p.m., the triple-siren blew. A cardboard box filled with leaves was on fire at the corner of Hillside and Northway. This could very well have been a prank of some kids still playing "trick or treat", but it wasn't very amusing to the nineteen men who ran from their homes to answer the call.

At 12:56 a.m. on the morning of October 31, the siren blew three times. The call was what is known as 9-1. This means an auto accident. Both our ambulances carried victims of the accident to Prince Georges Hospital. Two women and two children were injured. The Rescue Squad answered a call on October 30 at 11:45 a.m. and carried a woman from the Washington Hospital Center to Greenbelt. On November 1, at 2:29 p.m., they carried a fellow with a swollen knee from Braden Field to P.G.

On November 1, a frantic child's voice was heard on the phone at the City Office. He said that his mother was hurt and needed help. The Rescue Squad was sent to answer the call, and when they arrived at the address given, no one knew anything about the call. This was apparently a false report, made as a prank. The services volunteered by the men in Greenbelt are much too valuable to the people to let things like this go on.

The men are really going to have their long-awaited Fire House for sure now. The City Council accepted a bid of \$115,000.00 on Monday, November 2, and now things will begin to get underway. Comment from this reporter — wow-ee.

(November 10, 1959)

Greenbelt's Fire Prevention baby, named in honor of Fire Prevention Week, is Daniel Jay Helm, 6N Plateau, born Sunday, October 4. Little Danny was presented with a Sparky doll by Fire Chief Vince Dutton. His mother, Janet Helm, is on the staff of the News Review.

The sirens have summonsed the men out only twice this past week. One call, a fire call, was made by a cautious person who had seen something next door that looked like fire. But it was just some bacon grease which had dripped on to a burner and caused a flare. When the firemen arrived on the scene, the fire was out. It took two triple-sirens to get enough men together to answer this call.

The siren went off once to call a rescue squad crew together in order to make a routine transport of an ill person from Greenbelt to home in Hyattsville.

And that's all. A real quiet week!

CUB PACK 202

The Cub Scouts of Pack 202 are having a meeting on Friday, November 13, in the Community Church, at 7:30 p.m. Boys who are interested in joining the Den are invited to the meeting and must be accompanied by their parents.

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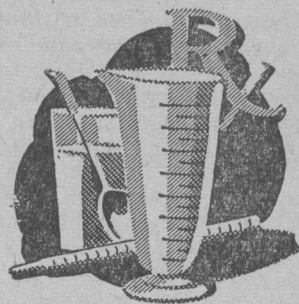
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by Elaine Skolnik

Ruth Bowman's kindergartners have sung the "Happy Birthday" refrain many times during the past few weeks. Best wishes to Michael Clark, Kenny Houck, Sally Wilcox, Glenn Anderson, Cathy Lynn Christian, Michael Teske and Judy Jefferson, who all celebrated their fifth birthdays.

Congratulations to all the hard-working Cubs and Boy Scouts who distributed and collected Good Will bags.

Recently the Cub Scouts of Pack 202 held their annual sports contest at Braden Field. Den No. 1 won first place, Den No. 9 second place and Den No. 5 third place. Douglas Dalbow and Richard Perkins tied for first place as individual winners. Joe Truban, second, and Steve Pierson, third. John Meier and Billy Hooper were in charge of events.

Collecting autographs these days is Eva Garin, 10-A Hillside, who is wearing a cast after breaking her wrist on Sunday. Glad to report that Eva is feeling fine.

A very happy birthday to Barbara Bowman, 14-Z-3 Laurel, who celebrated her eleventh birthday.

Although already a month old, Alice Ann Kovalchick, born October 10, is still being counted among the new babies of our community. Her parents are Alice and Cy Kovalchick, 4-F Hillside.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kahn of Bethesda announce the birth of Marc Eric on November 2. Weighing 8 lbs. 1 oz. Marc joins 2 sisters, Moira and Velma, and brother, Clifford. Rhea Kahn was a staff member of the News Review.

Our deepest sympathy to Mrs. G. Gerrits, 4-F Southway, on the death of her husband, Warren who passed away on Thursday, November 5.

Joseph Hanyok, 38 Lakeside Drive, a junior at De Matha Catholic High School, has been awarded a Silver Trophy for academic excellence. He attained the highest average in the sophomore class for the academic year 1958-59. The presentation was made by the principal, Father Paul Donovan, O.Ss.T.

18th Memorial Mass

At 9:30 a.m. on Sunday, November 15, Prince Georges Council No. 2809 of the Knights of Columbus will sponsor the Eighteenth Annual Military Memorial Mass in the War Memorial Chapel on the University of Maryland Campus. His Excellency, the Most Rev. Phillip M. Hannan, Auxiliary Bishop of Washington will preside. The celebrant of the Mass will be Monsignor James E. Cowhig, Pastor of St. Jerome's Church, Hyattsville, Maryland and Chaplain of Prince Georges Council No. 2809. He will be assisted by Father Joseph Brown C.S.C., Holy Cross College, Washington, D. C. and Father Eugene Conavad of DeMatha Monastery, Hyattsville, Maryland, both of whom are members of Prince Georges Council. The solemn High Mass will be sung by the Choir of De La Salle College, Washington, D. C. Father Sebastian Miklas, O.F.M. Cap., popular TV personality and Director of Adult Education at Catholic University will deliver the sermon.

The public is invited to attend this function to pay tribute to the memory of those who gave their lives in the service of our country.

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Co-op Commentary

by James Cassels

The Co-op Open House last Sunday at the new GCS warehouse and administration building in Beltsville was a huge success. An estimated 3500 adults and at least that many children were awed by the beauty and size of the facility. The warehouse can hold at least one hundred thousand cases of merchandise.

It is built on leased land, and cost half a million dollars. \$375,000 of this is borrowed from Acacia Life Insurance Company, with the building serving as security for the loan. Approximately \$350,000 worth of groceries are stored here presently.

Several of the area cooperatives that had exhibits at the Open House gave prizes. Lucky winners of \$5 in Twin Pines Savings Stamps were Douglas Smith of Mt. Airy, Maryland, and Jimmy Weeks of 26-B Ridge.

The Potomac Cooperative Federation, sponsor of the Open House, also sponsors a Monday Luncheon-Discussion Group that meets in the Brookings Institution in Washington. Anyone interested in hearing Robert Smith, Editor of Rural Electrification Magazine, talk on "Highlights of the Electric Cooperatives' European Tour" is invited to join the group this Monday, November 16 at 12:30. Phone RE 7-6804 by noon Friday, for reservations.

Novel Design Features New Co-op Supermarket

Departing from conventional supermarket design, a "theatre-type" layout planned for the new Takoma Park CO-OP supermarket at New Hampshire Ave., which Greenbelt Consumer Services, Inc., plans to open next spring, was recently unveiled before Prince Georges County leaders at a buffet luncheon in the Nationwide Insurance Building adjacent to the site.

Present were: Perry O. Wilkinson, Speaker of the Maryland House of Delegates, Herbert W. Reichelt, President of the Prince Georges County Commissioners, Francis J. Lastner, County Commissioner and former President of GCS, Mayor of Takoma Park, George Miller, and other local civic and business leaders who lauded the CO-OP group on its contribution to the growth of the community.

Wayne G. Smith, GCS Director of Member Relations, revealed that the new CO-OP market, one of the largest of the GCS chain, will follow a semi-circular pattern, with aisles radiating outwards like pie-wedges. The entire back wall will be visible from any part of the store. The building will also contain a public meeting room, seating 100-150 persons, on the mezzanine floor; a "see-thru" meat department; snack bar; bakery department; and non-food section.

This CO-OP supermarket will be one of several stores in the new L-shaped Takoma Park shopping center, which will provide parking for 616 cars from either of two entrances (N.H. Ave. or Fairview Ave.)

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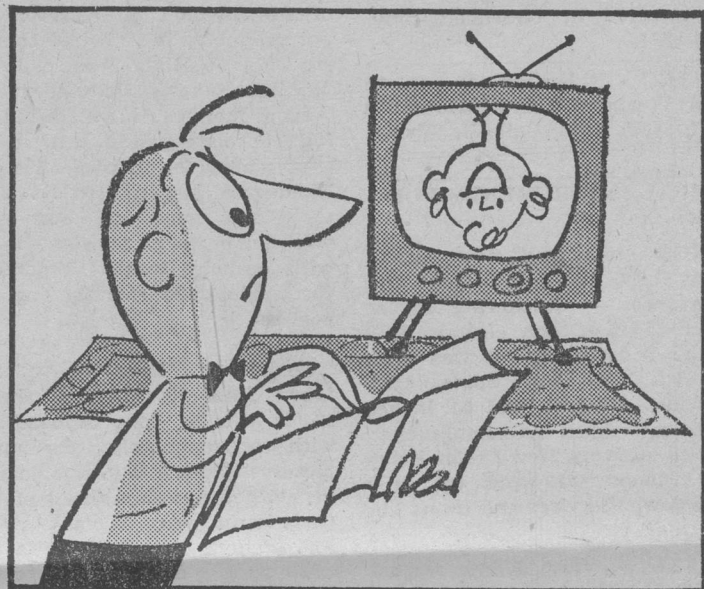
News Review Elects Board of Directors

Next year will see the same board of directors at the helm of the Greenbelt Cooperative Publishing Association, publishers of the News Review, with one exception. At the annual meeting on Sunday, November 1, the membership re-elected to the board incumbents Virginia Beauchamp, Al Skolnik, Russ Greenbaum, and Isadore Parker. The fifth member chosen was Mary Aylward, replacing Ann Levine, who declined to run.

Editor Harry Zubkoff reported to the membership that the future of the weekly newspaper was never so bright as it is today. He pointed particularly to the successful fund drive last spring and to the resumption of advertising by GCS.

"Of course," he said, "we still face the same problems that we have always faced - a shortage of personnel and of advertising copy. The two go together to some extent, since one of our needs is an advertising staff which can prepare advertising copy and schedules as well as solicit ads. Right now the editor is forced to do most of this type of work, when his time might be better spent on editorial matters."

Zubkoff also expressed a need for additional reporters. He would like to have more coverage of the activities of the various cooperatives in the Greenbelt area.



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